IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE C.N.RAMACHANDRAN NAIR

FRIDAY, THE 10TH AUGUST 2007 / 19TH SRAVANA 1929

WP(C).No. 24441 of 2007(I)

PETITIONER:

T. JOHNSON,
PROPRIETOR, BANATONE INDUSTRIES, PLOT NO.74, IDA,
KOCHUVELI, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.

BY ADV. SRI.G.SASIDHARAN CHEMPAZHANTHIYIL
SRI.S.VISHNU

RESPONDENTS:
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1. THE ASSISTANT ENGINEER,
ELECTRICAL SECTION, BEACH,
KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD.

2. THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
ELECTRICAL DIVISION,KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD
KAZHAKKOOTTAM.

3. KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD,
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY, VYDHYUTHI BHAVANAM,
PATTOM, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.

BY ADV. SRI.P.P.THAJUDEEN, SC

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 10/08/2007, THE COURT ON 10/08/2007 DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

C.N.RAMACHANDRAN NAIR, J.

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W.P.(C) No.24441 of 2007

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Dated this the 10th day of August, 2007.

JUDGMENT

Bill as proposed is only provisional against which petitioner has filed objection. The W.P. is disposed of directing the first respondent to finalise the bill after hearing the petitioner. If petitioner has grievance against the bill as finalised, petitioner can file appeal against the same before the higher authority. Even if bill is finalised as such, there will be direction to the first respondent not to disconnect supply for three months on petitioner remitting 50% of the bill amount, if petitioner chooses to file appeal after remitting 50% within two weeks from date of finalising the bill. Appeal also should be disposed of within a reasonable time and 50% deposited will be adjusted based on orders in appeal.

C.N.RAMACHANDRAN NAIR
Judge

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